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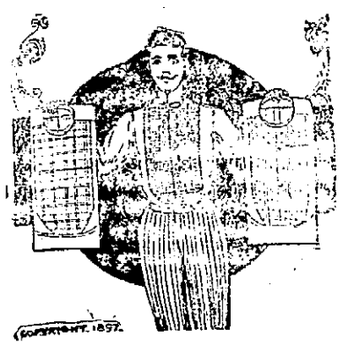

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We are known as the Shirt House of Portsmouth. We show more styles. We show better goods for the money. We give you the best fit. All styles and all prices

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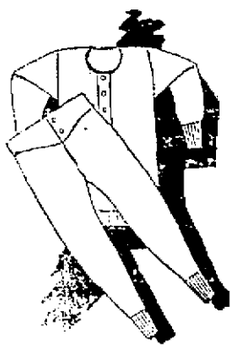

Light Weight Underwear in plain and fancy effects,

25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00

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GOOD GOODS AT LOW PRICES. Herr Bros 307 & 309 CHILLICOTHE STREET.

SOME

SUMMER BARGAINS.

5c Lawns for	2½c per yard
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12½c and 15c Organdies and Dimities for	7c per yard
20c and 25c Organdies for	10c per yard
12½c Sea Island Percales for	8c per yard
12½c Zephyr Ginghams for	8c per yard
25c Ladies' Fancy Hose for	18c per pair
25c Misses' Fancy Hose for	15c per pair

Herms Dry Goods Co.

Summer Shoes at Reduced Prices.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Low Shoes.

This is your opportunity to secure a comfortable pair of low shoes for little money.

Ladies' Shoes.

$3.00 Oxfords for	$2 68
$2.50 " "	2.24
$2.00 " "	1.80
$1.50 Juliettes "	1.35
$1.50 Oxfords " $1.25 &	1.35
$1.25 " "	1.15
$1.00 " "	89c
$2.00 Sandals "	1.80
$1.50 " "	1.35
$1.00 " "	89c

Misses' and Children's Sandals.

$1.75 kind for	$1.50
$1.50 " "	1.35
$1.35 " "	1.20
$1.25 " "	1.00
$1 00 " "	85c
85c " "	75c
75c " "	65c
60c " "	50c

You should consult our "Bargain Counter" for the greatest bargains you ever saw.

Anderson Bros.,

Home Factory Shoe Stores,

109 West Second. Seventh and Chillicothe Sts

PIKE'S PEAK

And the Garden of the Gods Visited by Mr. and Mrs. Labold.

Simon Labold, who with his wife, is in the West, writes that they enjoyed themselves at Denver, where they were the guests of David Lehman, formerly of this city. A few days were spent at Colorado Springs. They also visited the grave of Helen Hunt Jackson, located on Cheyenne mountain, "The Garden of the Gods," a sight of a life-time, consisting of curious formations of stone and now reached by trolley cars.

They visited Pike's Peak, going to the summit of that snow-capped mountain by way of the new cog wheel railway. Later they visited Manitou, at the foot of the mountain, and partook of the excellent water of the soda springs. They are now in Yellowstone park, where they are stationed at the Government hotel, near the great geysers. Their trip has been a most delightful one.

FINANCIAL RALLY.

Allen Chapel A M. E Makes Wonderful Showing.

The financial rally, which began Sunday at Allen Chapel African Methodist Episcopal church and will continue until the quarterly meeting on the fourth Sunday of this month, opened with very flattering prospects. The collections amounted to $315.82, making in the two rallies given this year, $967.82.

At the last meeting of the trustees a proposition to paint the church and add some improvements to the parsonage was favorably entertained and will be put into action after the pastor returns from conference in September.

Bids on New Hotel.

Tuesday, August 15th, bids for the building of the new hotel will be opened. Nearly every contractor in the city has examined the plans.

Stepped on a Nail.

Walter, the six-year-old son of Jacob Steitzinger, had the misfortune to run a rusty nail in his foot.

PURE Drugs, Chemicals, Paints Toilet Articles, etc. Prescriptions carefully compounded by registered pharmacist.

Portsmouth Drug Co.

Otis Burke, Prop. Gallia & Offnere.

DREYFUS

Erect and Firm With No Sign of Disease.

HE STOOD CAP IN HAND.

Submitted to Rigid Examination, Promptly Answering Questions.

Many Times He Vehemently Exclamed, "I am Innocent"—Executive Sessions Will Be Secret.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Renns, Franc, Aug. 7.—The Dryfus court martial opened shortly after seven o'clock, and after a short preliminary session, in which it was determined to hold executive sessions during the examination secret, it ajourned. The next public session will probably be next Saturday. Dreyfus passed from the prison to the court room through the lines of soldiers. He appeared erect and firm, with no signs of being weakened by disease. The president of the court martial submitted Dreyfus to a rigid examination, to which the prisoner responded promptly, many times vehemently exclaiming, "I am innocent." He stood up, cap in hand during this examination.

THE MILITIA

Will Be Withdrawn at Cleveland—Civil Authorities in Charge.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—Tonight all the militia will be withdrawn and the civil authorities left to attend to any outbreak that may occur. More people used the Big Consolidated cars today to reach business places than on any day since the strike began.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Ohio.—Fair tonight; Tuesday, fair, warmer

In the Show World.

C. E. Jordan, who formerly lived near Lucasville, is now in the West, a full-fledged showman. Jordan's Congress of Novelties and Greatest Shows Beneath the Skies are known the country over.

G. W. Donaldson, who used to be in the hotel business here, is organizing a large museum and side show for fair grounds. He will likely tour Ohio fairs.

The True Story.

There is nothing in the story that the Bonanza has been sold, or that her machinery is to be used on another boat. It is a fact, however, that the bar privileges have been chartered for $750 per annum by parties interested in the Dayton, Ky., beach resort. The boat will still run in her old trade, between Pomeroy and Cincinnati

Death of W. H. Wilson.

Robert Gilliland left today for Greenfield, where he goes to attend the funeral of his uncle, W. H. Wilson, who died Saturday. Captain Cole Gilliland and son Harry were at the bed-side when Mr. Wilson passed away. The deceased was well known in this city

New Tailor in Town.

Harry Saylor, a tailor, late of Columbus, has located here. He is employed at Haas, Schwartz & Co.'s. He had as his guest Sunday his father, L. L. Saylor, a Columbus merchant.

The Old Veteran.

Louis Ellis has taken a position as conductor on the street car line. He was in the fire department fifteen years.

RACE RIOT

Near Greenville Results in Six Being Wounded—Full Details.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 7.—There was a race riot at Poe Cotton Mills last night in which one white man and five Negroes were wounded. It began by the Negroes firing in the house of Mr. Greenburg, a mill operator, while he was at supper. Greenburg organized a force and followed the Negroes. They captured the leader and put him in jail. The report he had been lynched caused the three hundred Negroes to assemble. The whites came in crowds and a pitched battle ensued. All quiet today.

RECOGNITION

In Foreign Country Wanted by Colored Masons.

Annual Session of Thirty-Third Degree Brothers at Cleveland—Delegates from Everywhere.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—The annual session of the United Supreme council of colored thirty-third degree Masons of the United States begins here today with delegates from nearly all the states. Two commissioners are to be elected to visit Pairs and other foreign cities to gain recognition in foreign countries for colored Masons.

PREMIER CAVALRY

Start for Manila—Eight Companies to Meet at Seattle.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Three companies of the Third Cavalry left Fort Meyer today for Seattle, en route to Manila. Five other companies from Fort Ethan Allen will join them at Seattle. Their horses were carried in specially arranged stock cars.

Prominent Manager Dead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Indianapolis, Aug. 7.—Frederick Baggs, manager of the Indianapolis Clearing association, died today.

Prices That Will Open Your Eye and Fill Your Pocketbook.

We do not want to say we give away anything for nothing, but we only invite you to come and allow us to convince you about how much more reasonable we are in selling good glasses than other competent opticians. C. H. HARRIS, Refracting Optician, 7-31 417 Chillicothe street.

The National Encampment.

Bailey Post, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet in regular session tonight. The boys will discuss the coming national encampment that convenes in Philadelphia next month.

Died Very Suddenly.

James T, the sixteen-months-old son of Wm. Spence, of Mt. Zion, died Friday., after a few days' illness and was buried this morning at 11 o'clock.

Costs Ten Cents Per Person.

The friends of Chas. Wertz are smoking "ten centers" today at his expense. It's a ten pound girl and arrived this morning.

Water Works and Council.

The water works board meets Tuesday evening. Council will meet Wednesday evening.

Cheap excursion rates to the Chillicothe Fair all this week.

A Hatfield Shot.

Chas Bender says while he was in Ironton, Sunday, an immate of Anna Miller's disreptable resort shot one of the Hatfields. Shooting and arrest caused considerable excitement.

BALABAC

Scene of Bloodshed Between Moros and Landing Party.

A FIERCE RESISTANCE.

Lighthouse by the Sea the Cause of the Trouble.

Charleston on the Way to Preserve the Calm That Has Followed the Storm—Full Account.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Admiral Watson cables that the lighthouse at Balabac, established July 11th, was two days later found in the hands of Moros by the commander of the steamer Manila. Landing a party under the command of Ensign Bisett, there was fierce resistance, during which the chief of the Moros and one man were killed and seven captured. Re-establishing of the light-house is reported and place is garrisoned by a force from the Manila. The Charleston is on its way to Balabac.

PRESENCE OF MIND

Lost by a Motorman Causes Horrible Accident of Bridgeport.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 7.—Engineer Starr, who superintended the building of the bridge over Peck's mill pond, where twenty-nine lives were lost yesterday by a trolley car falling from the bridge, after a thorough examination, says the motorman lost his presence of mind going down the grade toward the birdge and turned on the power instead of turning it off.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Hogs, steady, $5.10, $4.85; cattle, steady; beeves, $4.50, $5.85.

Wheat, 69, September corn, 30⅛; oats, 19¾.

Toledo—Wheat, 69¾.

Cincinnati—Eggs, 9.

Miss Reilly Better.

Miss Kate Reilly, who has been very ill, was reported better today. In answer to telegrams, her relatives arrived Saturday—John from Alderson, W. Va., Miss Sarah Reilly from Louisa, Ky., and Mrs. Clay Murlin from Jackson.

Over an Embankment.

Ben Williams, of Jackson, who frequently visits here, went over a high embankment with his horse and buggy. The horse and rig fell on Williams. His arm is broken and head badly cut.

His True Condition.

Rev. J. V. Jahrous, who has been very ill for several months, is reported better. Having symptoms of a paralytic stroke, a few days ago it was given out he was worse.

Sticks Close to Home.

Prof. Thomas Vickers, who with his family, is at Arion, at the Nagleisen camp, is enjoying his second vacation in eleven years, last year being his first.

Goes to Chattanooga.

Asa P. Hull, who has been assistant engineer at Drew, Selby & Co.'s, has resigned to take a position with the city water works at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Struck by Lightning.

The residence of George Vaughters, of the West Side, was struck by lightning Friday night and slightly damaged.

Is Now Improving.

Edward Burke, of Burke's Point, who has been very ill, is no improving.

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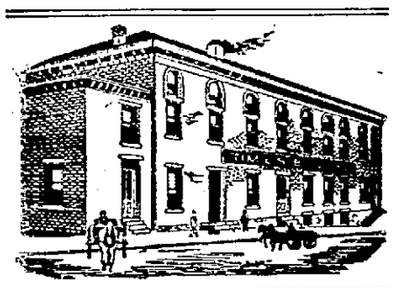
DAILY AND SEMI-WEEKLY.



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VALLEE HAROLD, Editor and Manager.

Notice to Advertisers.

Advertisements to insure change same day positively must be in the office by 9 o'clock. Changes sent in after that hour cannot be made that day.

SCIOTO COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Democrats of Scioto County, Ohio, are hereby notified to meet in delegate convention at the Grand Opera House in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, on

Saturday, August, 19, 1899,

at 10:30 o'clock, a. m. to select seven (7) delegates to the State Convention to be held at Zanesville, Ohio, August 29 and 30, 1899 and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention, and also to nominate candidates for the various county offices to be filled at the ensuing November election, viz:

Representative,
Treasurer,
Probate Judge,
Prosecuting Attorney,
Commissioner,
Infirmary Director.
The Decennial Land Appraiser.

The basis for representation for delegates and alternates to this convention shall be one delegate for every twenty five votes, or fraction over thirteen cast for Horace L. Chapman for Governor in 1897.

The townships and wards are entitled to the following number of delegates:

Bloom	6
Brush Creek	9
Clay	6
Green	5
Harrison	4
Jefferson	2
Madison	5
Morgan	2
Nile Lower	3
Nile Upper	2
Porter, Sciotoville Precinct	4
Porter, Wheelersburg Precinct	5
Rarden	7
Rush	3
Union	5
Valley	3
Vernon	4
Washington	5
PORTSMOUTH.	
First Ward	9
Second Ward	7
Third Ward	5
Fourth Ward	7
Fifth Ward A	3
Fifth Ward B	4
Sixth Ward A	6
Sixth Ward B	5
Seventh Ward	7
Total	133

Necessary to a choice, 67.

Primaries in the townships will be held from 4 p m to 6 p. m and in the city wards from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. on Friday, August 18th, 1899. at the usual voting places. The primary for the Fifth ward will be held in Precinct B and in the Sixth ward in Precinct A.

O M. COBURN, Chairman
J. S. THOMAS, Secretary.

TO BE SURE.

Fletcher D. Malin, of Lake county, wants to be the Democratic nominee for member of the state board of public works. The editor of the esteemed Lake County Herald apprises us of this fact and wants to know if The Times will not be kind enough to say a good word for Mr. Malin.

To be sure it will.

The Times is favorably impressed with Mr. Malin because he has got the "git up and git" to advertise his candidacy. The Times believes in advertising and believes in the man that advertises. If there were no advertising there would be no Times.

Mr. Malin has had printed for general circulattion a neat folder for general circulation, that cleverly gives in a few words all the necessary information about himself. He is Buckeye to the manner born, and has been that way for an even thirty-eight years. Every since he has been twenty years old he has been an active member of the Democratic central committee of Lake, and he is today a 16 to 1 Democrat, without any gold trappings. The counties of Lake and Geauga have already endorsed his candidacy and more are to follow. He is in the timber manufacturing business at Painesville and has the confidence of the community as a business man and its respect as a citizen.

The Times' honest conviction is that any man who was born in Geauga and reared in Lakes sections blighted with a pall of Republicanism that has never known the lifting of the cloud, and yet is a Democrat for always and aye, ought to be given the little thing he asks without further question.

Here is hoping F. D. Malin's name may adorn the next Democratic state ticket.

THE WORLD WAITS.

Our cheerful friend and correspondent, Mr. Henry Clews, of New York, who regularly every week, sends us a New York letter, that is never published and very seldom read, tells us, this week, that the reason why things have been so very quiet and placid in the country's financial storm center, Wall street, is because the big bankers, the projectors and the promoters were gone up into the Adirondack mountains for rest and recuperation. If those grangers had any patriotic courage in them, they would capture the whole kettle of them while they are handy and keep them gnawing a file or the remainder of their days, just as they have set the people to chewing the bitter cud of disappointment.

There is no use to expect these "up-state" grubbers will arise equal to the emergency however. It is they that give the Republican party, gold standard and trusts their majority in York state.

We learn from Republican papers that Alger's administration of the war department was superb and met with President McKinley's heartiest approval; that no ill-feeling whatever exists between the two, and, on the contrary, they parted with the sincerest and warmest expressions of distinguished consideration. Then, in the name of the sultan of Sulu, what did McKinley kick Alger out of the cabinet for—just to show he was first boss under Mark Hanna?

Cotton mills are springing up at various points in the South. With factories to convert her raw products into mercantile commodities the South may expect a greater share in growth and prosperity than have fallen as her portion in the past.

Horace Chapman, who is in Europe, wants to get in the band wagon, and declares for McLean. From the way Horace, himself, ran or governor, it might well be supposed the only vehicle he is familiar with is an ice wagon.

It is a strange freak of fortune that causes Mrs. Davis, wife of the president of the Confederacy, Jefferson Davis, to take up her permanent abode at Montpelier, Vermont, which, by the way, is Dewey's native town.

Isn't the Versailles Policy a bit paradoxical when it says: "Now is the golden opportunity for Democrats to reward John R McLean for the brave work he did for free silver"?

The Ohio has done herself quite proud so far this year. She has furnished a fair boating stage every day, and this is going to be one of her banner tonnage years.

While the people pay the expense of expansion thrifty politicians and adventurers are gobbling up banking privileges and public franchises in "our new colonies."

The government ran behind another eight and a half million for July. This expansion business is expensive: but the people pay the freight.

It would be great times if agricultural interests would catch step with the industrial boom.

Items of Interest That Can Be Quickly Read.

Price of coal in the Pittsburg district has risen rapidly.

Lee Kay of Taylorville, O., was fatally injured by a race horse jumping the track.

Towboat Advance on the Ohio river was struck by lightning near Pomeroy and consumed.

Deputy United States Marshal Blair was shot in Morgan, Ky., by an alleged moonshiner.

Five persons were drowned by a boat capsizing on the Patapsco river.

Kansas corn is estimated at 362,000,000 bushels.

Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier, has reconsidered his determination to visit Hotel Champlain while the president is there, as he believes that a visit at the present time would cause a great deal of unpleasant comment.

Special Clearance Sale

— OF —

SHIRT WAISTS.

50 doz. Bright, Fresh, New Waists
Offered at Their Actual Cost.
We Give Away! Free!
With Every Shirt Waist Sold,
A Beautiful Shirt Waist Set, complete,
Worth from 25c to 50c Each.

WHITE WAISTS, We Put Them in 3 Lots.

All $1.25 and $1.35 White Waists reduced to	$ .96.	Waist Set free with every waist
All 1.50 and 1.75 " " " "	1.05.	" " " " " "
All 2.00 and 2.25 " " " "	1.50.	" " " " " "

COLORED WAISTS, We Put Them in 7 Lots.

All 50c, 60c, 65c Colored Waists reduced to	$ .35.	Waist Set free with every waist.
All 75c and 85c " " " "	.60.	" " " " " "
All $1.00 " " " "	.75.	" " " " " "
All 1.25 " " " "	.85.	" " " " " "
All 1.35 " " " "	.98.	" " " " " "
All 1.50, $1.65 " " " "	1.05.	" " " " " "
All 1.75, 2.00 " " " "	1.40.	" " " " " "

All the Above Values on Display in Our Show Windows.

Connolley's Store.

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Manufactured for and sold exclusively by the Central Grocery Co. We have just received a new lot of this well known brand. Pure, white, wholesome. Try it.

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NEW GOODS.
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I have recently purchased a full new stock of

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And will conduct a Cash Store as I am convinced this is the only method to meet competition. Call and see me.

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1112 Offnere St.

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Have your eyes tested free of charge and Glasses accurately adjusted by

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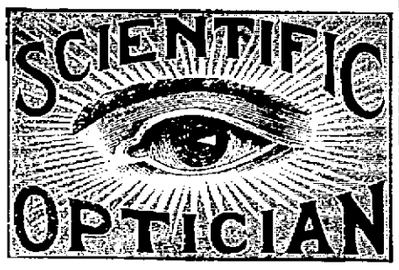

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At Reasonable Prices.

Extracting, no pain.....25c
Cement fillings.....50c
Silver fillings.....$1.00 and up
Set of teeth.....$6.00
Best set of teeth.....$8.00

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Is brewed with the greatest of care from excellent material, and is guaranteed as good as any beer in the United States. Let us all pull together, support Home Industry, and keep our money at home. With such sentiments properly carried out, our city will prosper as it never prospered before.

J. Esselborn, President.
O. Knorr, Secretary

Owners of Property

In making your spring repairs don't fail to attend to the

PLUMBING AND Gas Fitting.

This is the best time of the year to have work of this kind done, between seasons, when work is slack. For reliable work in plumbing, gas, steam and hot water fitting call on

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Corner Fourth and Chillicothe Streets, Portsmouth, Ohio

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And ask for an estimate on painting and decorating. Also ascertain prices on real estate.

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Warder & Clark,

Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries, Coal, Red Brick and Sand. 1015 Clay Street. Phone 874.

TINY BITS

Of News Picked from the Exchange List.

Surrounding Counties Scoured for "Pigmies" of Information—Birds Eye View of Many Cities.

Messrs. Warren Price, of Scioto-ville, D. V. Phillips, of Portsmouth, and C. H. Cotts, of South Webster, were the guests last Sunday of their whole-souled friend Mr. C. S Strahl, of this place.—Hamden Enterprise.

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The Chillicothe Advertiser says: "Mrs. Walter Padan and two children left today for Gallipolis for an extended visit with her parents, her father being a guard at the Epileptic asylum."

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Howard Hixby and Geo. Moffett, Ironton boys, were awarded prizes for beauty at "Diamond Jack's" show Saturday night in that town. What's the matter? Are there no good-looking girls in Ironton?

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The Winchester Herald says, "Let there be light" in that village.

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John S. Herlihy returned to his home in Portsmouth yesterday, after a visit of two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herlihy, of East Main street. — Chillicothe News.

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Sears & Co. and the Scioto Canning company at Circleville are running full force, canning tomatoes and corn.

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Wm. Jones was arrested down the C. & O. and brought to this city today, charged with being an accomplice of Milo Allensworth, who is charged with stealing rope and brass. He awaits trial with Jailer Hurd.—Catlettsburg Independent.

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John Weakley went down to his home on Brownell street last evening with a plenteous supply of liquid refreshments on board and a desire to create trouble. His wife being absent from home, he had free sweep, so he promptly proceeded to run the children out of the house and start in upon a career of terror. Office Val Southworth, however, tamed him down and brought him to headquarters.—Chillicothe News.

He was a brakeman on the N. & W. Ry.

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Dr. Wallace, our popular dentist, has been in a high state of excitement for several days. He is of the opinion that there is a basin of natural gas underlying the territory in his neighborhood and is thinking of organizing a company to put down a hole. The Doctor thinks there can be no doubt about the presence of the gas, as he can smell it in his dreams and taste it on his limburger.—Waverly Watchman.

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The Waverly Watchman speaks in high praise of the Messrs. Breece who are operating the bent wood works at the Johnson Hub factory, and also of Rev. J. E. Comer, whom the editor heard preach for an hour at Cyntiana, in Pike county.

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Adams county has eighteen namesakes of the hero of Manilla bay.

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Bellefontaine will hold a fair in October. It will be a hummer.

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Two masked men robbed Mrs. Jennie Fraclean, of Wellston, of $80, Friday.

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Wellston is getting "a move on" and is paving her streets. The Telegram: "Where are the men who want work?"

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Editor Hinkle, of the Jackson Herald, has gone to California on an extended visit.

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Hamden has finally established a public library.

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Hon. H. L. Chapman, who is on a European tour with his wife and daughter, announces that notwithstanding the action of his friends in the matter, he will not be a candidate for gubernatorial honors before the coming Ohio Democratic convention.—Hamden Enterprise.

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The Gallipolis exchanges speak of the many courtesies that are being extended to Mr. Ernest Shober and wife who are visiting there.

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Most of the editors of this section of the state will join the Hocking Valley excursion to the lakes tomorrow. Editor Carl Huber is vice-president of the association.

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The Hocking Sentinel says: "Will our wealthy subscribers, who owe us for from five to ten years, please call and give us a dollar on account?"

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Mrs. O. B. Gould and sister, of Wellston, left Saturday for Atlantic City to spend a few weeks at the sea-shore.

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Mayslick, Ky., wants a public library. It needs one.

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The C. & O. excursion, announced for Old Point Comfort August 8th, has been annulled, owing to the prevailing yellow fever in the East.

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The C. & O. announces an excursion to Atlantic City on August 17th.

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At Chillicothe, Mike Kirsch has engaged Green Honey as trainer of his handsome sorrel stallion. Honey was here once with A. L. Tolbert, the balloon man.

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The Lancaster camp meeting is on and is drawing a large crowd. This meeting always draws well from Portsmouth. During the years past the late Rev. Z. W. Fagin made annual visits there and had charge of the music.

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Richard Bradford, Jr., proprietor of the St. Charles hotel at Vanceburg, was married last week. He is well known here.

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At Springfield a public wedding will take place on Labor day. The wedding journey will be made in an automobile.

TWO SERVICES

That Deserve Special Mention—The Music Exceedingly Fine.

Most of the ministers are out of the city on their annual vacation. This accounted for the few churchs that were open having large congregations Sunday.

At Sixth Street Methodist Rev. John Chandler, of Harrisonville, occupied the pulpit both morning and evening. Excellent music was a feature. Messrs. Dennison D. Byers and Chas. Maddock, of Columbus, were the vocal soloists. As an offertory Mrs R. C. Maddock played a pretty arrangement from "The Poet and Peasant."

At the German Methodist church, where Rev. C. B. Koch preached in English, there was a good attendance, as also good music. Rev. Mr. Koch took for his subject, "God's Love to the World," preaching from the text, "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that all who believd on Him might be saved." He is a forcible speaker.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dyssentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tired everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recomended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety an my little daughter much suffering Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Done With Work.

Tom Bush has his eye tied up. He was engaged in white-washing and splashed some of the "wash" in his left optic. He says he will never work again.

Rev. J. M. Yingling, of the Bedford Street Methodist church at Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me much pleasure to recommend Chambelrain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it and know others who have done so. I have never known it to fail. It is a sure cure when taken in time." For sale by Fisher & Streich.

VIEWS AND INTERVIEWS.

Curbstone Talks With Prominent People About Matters and Things.

George Kah: "Yes, we had to posptone our concert Friday night, but will have it tonight at Droege's grove and invite all well-behaved people to come out. We have good order and many ladies and children go out. We would like to have more than ever tonight. The program, as arranged, is an unusually good one and will please the crowd, who like popular and rag-time music."

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D. L. Jones: "No, I have not as yet sold the Seebohm drug store. Several parties are figuring on buying it. One man from Huntington has also had his eye on it and may buy it. The stand is a good one, as is also the stock, and it will not be long before it will again be open and doing business."

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Jas. F. Barber: "Yes, sir. I will go to Chillicothe this week with a hokey-pokey outfit and make the Scioto Valley fair. I have been going there for five years and always do a good business. The fairs up there are all right and draw immense crowds. Many people are going up from here. The society is going to put on fireworks and give night exhibitions, a new feature in county fairs."

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Robert McAleer: "Yes, it was a good thing that the school board appointed a superintendent to see to the building of the Offnere street school addition. I expected some poor timber might be put into that work and understand that George Long, who is looking after it, found at least sixty joists that were defective. It pays to have a superintendent over public work."

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Charles Willis: "Oh, yes, we make a great many pictures of Brush and McColloch creek camps and are prepared at any time to go out there. We usually have a man there on Sundays and he does a land office business. Last Sunday a party of Cincinnati men were at Wendelkens' and they ordered several dozen photographs made. They were much pleased with the camp, and the pictures as well, as I heard from them and know it."

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Frank J. Emnet: "The Y M. I. picnic we are going to give at Glen Hunt on Labor day will be a "corker." We will have two dancing platforms and the Home Circle orchestra. There will be ball games and other amusements provided, in addition to swings and good boats. The C. P. & V. railway will run out several special trains, the late one returning at 11 o'clock. We invite all to join us in celebrating the day, and especially the Trades and Labor Assembly."

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Dan M. Ryan: "You can say we have established a branch agency of the Guarantee Building and Loan company of Cleveland. I am the agent for the company, Holcomb & Finney are the attorneys, H. S. Johnson, collector and Chas. E. Molster, abstractor. John Dice, Adam Giesler and John M. Doerr are the appraisers. We will have solicitors for shares here in a few days and will loan money at a low rate of interest."

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John B. Wood: "Yes, sir, I have charge of the Scioto County Bible Depository and sell quite a number of Bibles, more in winter than in summer. Bibles are sold at cost and can be had as low as twenty cents. Where a person is unable to buy a Bible, we, of course, present them with one free. About Christmas our sales are quite large."

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O, made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c. 2

RAILROAD NOTES.

C. W. McCoy, master bridge carpenter of the N. & W., was in the city today.

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The N. & W. shops are in need of car repairers. They have more damaged cars than the present force will run out in a reasonable time.

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The late time card of the N. & W., for some reason unknown to the outsider, have cut out the word "Valley." Former cards, since the building of the road, have read "Scioto Valley division." The late one reads "Scioto division."

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Samuel Hunt and C. W. Gleason, high officials of the C. P. & V. road, were in the city Friday evening.

To Niagara by C. & O.

The C. & O. will run an excursion to Niagara on August 15th.

Pabst Malt Extract The Best Tonic

Taken at night stops the eternal thinking by putting you to sleep. It feeds your brain so that it recovers its tone for the next day's toil.

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A TOUGHY SUBJECT

Feet need to be carefully treated. They are sensitive things and two feet unwisely shod can make a whole man unhappy. The wearers of Winters'

Shoes and Slippers

Never suffer from unhappy feet. Treat your feet right and they will treat you right. Try a pair of our shoes and be convinced.

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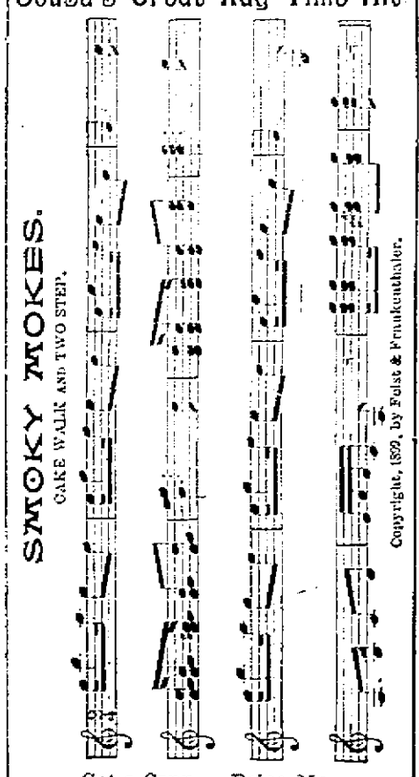

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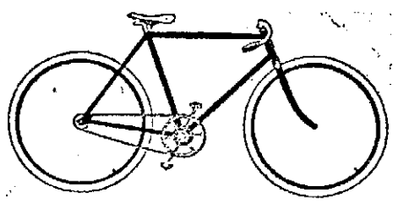
Here Are a Few of the Many



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PAT AND EMMA

Met Two Days Ago and Were Married Today.

Nuptials Solemnized at Hotel Safford at Four O'clock by Squire Hall —The New Features.

Pat D. Ripley, of Vanceburg, and Emma Roberts, of Tygart, were married at the Hotel Safford by 'Squire Hall this afternoon. hTe couple scarcely knew each other's names, only becoming acquainted two days ago. They were very anxious the wedding should be "strictly private."

After making two trips to the court house, the groom finally succeeded in securing the license.

With the coming of the groom in company with the magistrate, a crowd of young men filed into the room, pretending to be court officials. The groom wore a sack suit, a colored mustache and abroad smile.

At the conclusion of the ceremony there was, by pre-arrangement, a hearty round of applause, a new feature just introduced.

The happy couple left immediately for their "Old Kentucky Home." It was a case of love at first sight.

PERSONAL.

Harry Johnston, who is traveling for the Celluloid Starch company of Cincinnati, became ill while on the road last week and came to his home in this city Saturday to recuperate.

Gus Yeager went to Rarden today for a week's outing.

Miss Lavenia Dugan, of Guyandotte, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wall, of East Second street, is now the guest of Miss Pearl Thompson, of Waller street.

Miss Emma Galbraith, daughter of Dr. Galbraith, of Chillicothe, who has been visting Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, of East Second street, left for home this evening.

Miss Fannie O'Connor, of West Sixth street, will leave this week for a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. Murray, of McKeesport, Pa.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peebles, of Henley, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Barton Green, at Zanesville.

Ben Harris, of Osborn, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris, of West Fourth street.

Miss Ethel Cotton left today for Charleston, W. Va., where she will be the guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodman and Ex-governor and Mrs. E. W. Wilson.

A former Portsmouth resident, Miss Ida Stewart, of Ironton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Dice, of West Second street.

Miss Louise Nourot, of East Third street, has returned from a visit to Canton.

Mrs. Wm. Bolles, of East Second street, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Trago, of Jackson.

Mr. Sampson and Miss Hobstetter, of Cincinnati, who have been enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Esselorn and family, have returned home.

Messrs. Wm. Severs, Wm. Zottman, Charles and William Miller were among those who spent yesterday in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Eliza Graham, of West Sixth street, is at home from a delightful visit to Mrs. Rachel Bay, of Vinton county, a relative of the late Col. T. G. Graham.

Miss Mame Knittel and sister, Mrs. Frank Graff, returned today from a visit to friends at Otway.

Ned Alger spent Sunday at Camp McColloch.

Miss Mary Hayward, of Ironton, who has been the guest of Miss Kate Anderson, of East Fourth street, left for home today.

Miss Katharine Jones, of Waverly, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler.

Former Portsmouth residents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keer, of Columbus, spent yesterday here as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jennie McAleer, of East Fourth street. They were accompanied by their grandson, Mrs. McAleer's son, Master Fred Kehrer, who has been their guest for the past five weeks.

"Keep to Your Place and Your Place will Keep You."

Without good health we cannot keep situations nor enjoy life. Most troubles originate in impure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood rich and pure, and thus promotes good health, which will help you "keep your place."

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Misses Louise and Aldean Van Patton, of Columbus, who have been visiting Mrs. Mary Barton, of Jackson street, are the guests this week of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yeeley, of East Portsmouth.

Dan Dahill, of Chillicothe, spent yesterday with his daughter, Miss Margaret Louise, who has resided with her aunts, the Misses Ryan, of East Third street, since the death of her mother.

Miss Grace Nutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nutt, of Hamden Furnace, is the guest of Mr. Charles Scudder, of West Fourth street.

Mrs. L. P. Haldeman and children will go to Cleveland this week for a month's visit to relatives. They will be accompanied by Miss Lena Jeanguenaut, who goes to assist in caring or the children.

Miss Nora Uhl has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson, of Piketon.

Dr. J. B. Ray, of Harrisonville, was in the city today.

Miss Daisy Gideon, of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mose Lehman.

Miss Emma Eaves has gone to Newport, Ky., to take charge of the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Dash, during this month, which Mrs. Dash is spending at Mountain Lake Park.

Mrs. Geo. Wicket, of Long Run, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Grohman, of Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Edwards and family and Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Pierce, of Ironton, were recently the guests of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Edwards, of John street.

Mrs. Minnie Gerlach Stubbs, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Portsmouth relatives.

Miss Fay Ware, of East Third street, and Mrs. Carre Johnson, of East Fourth street, have returned from a visit to Ironton and Ashland, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buskirk and daughter are the guests of Mrs. A. B. Busikrk, of East Second street.

Rev. Father Joseph Gormley, of Huntington, W. Va., is being entertained at the home of Rev. Father J. E. McGuirk, of East Sixth street.

Grant Wiseman spent Sunday in the city. Mr Wiseman is now employed by the Triple State Natural Gas company, and is at present located at Catlettsburg, Ky.

John Zeisler, of Coalton, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of his son, John Zeisler.

G. H. Heinisch and wife left this morning for Connersville, Ind., where they will spend a few days, the guests of Rev. Mr. Elfeld, formerly of this city. They will then visit Niagara Falls and several Eastern cities. They expect to be gone ten days.

Miss Sadie Armbrust has returned from a visit with friends at Cincinnati.

Mrs. Wm. Mathews has gone to Winona, Wisconsin, where her husband has been for some time.

Chas. McAleer has returned home after a pleasant visit to Edward Burke, at Burke's Point.

Foreman Jos. Brennen and Assistant Dribbling, of the Columbus Central Union Telephone office, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Jessie Hutsinpillar, who has been visiting Miss Mae Pursell and Miss Mayme Brown, has returned to her Ironton home.

Mrs. Edward Buchert, of East Fourth street, is in Chillicothe on a visit to relatives. She will remain for a few days to see the fair.

Misses Lauretta Rudity and Lenora Distlerath, accompanied by their guests, the Misses Ethelwyn, Cary and Blanche Corbley, both of Avondale, Cincinnati, returned from a week's outing at Camp McColloch. Their guests departed for their homes Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Titus spent Sunday at Haverhill with friends.

For Sun or Rain

We are able to offer an extra good quality of a fast black Twill, steel rod, Congo handle, UMBRELLA. This umbrella is sold by many dealers at $1.00. We bought an extra large quantity and are therefore able to offer same to you for 45c. Think of it, only 45c for this $1.00 Umbrella!

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Lot 1, 40c and 50c shapes go at..... 10c
Lot 2, 50c and 75c shapes go at..... 25c
Lot 3, 75c and $1.00 shapes go at..... 40c
Lot 4, $1 00 and $1.25 shapes go at..... 50c
Special low prices on Trimmed Hats.

SHIRT WAISTS MUST GO

45c Waists go now at..... .30
50c Waists go now at..... .33
75c Waists go now at..... .50
90c Waists go now at..... .60
$1.00 Waists go now at..... .67
1.25 Waists go now at..... .84
1.50 Waists go now at..... $1.00

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To No. 143 East Ninth St. JACOB SIMMELBECK, Merchant Tailor. First class work at reasonable prices. Cleaning and repairing neatly done.

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MEATS.

Roast Beef au jus. *Chicken Fricasee*

VEGETABLES.

Snow Flake Potatoes *Stewed Tomatoes*
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Hot Slaw

ENTREES.

Beef Croquettes *Cocoanut Fritters*

DESERT.

Egg Custard

All for 15c, including any 5c Drink. Dinner from 11 to 2.

WANT COLUMN.

Hereafter only "Help Wanted", "Situations Wanted", "Lost" and "Found" notices will be published in this column free. "For Sale", "For Exchange", "For Rent", "To Loan" and all business or trade advertisements will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent a word, but no charge will be for less than ten cents. Except for the free advertisements, cash must always accompany the order or it will not be published, the amounts being too small to book and bill.

WANTED.

GIRL wanted, for general house work, at 113 West Sixth street. 7

SUMMER BOARDERS wanted, by Mrs. S. B Loughry, at Willow Bank Cottage, accessible by boat and C & O. Terms moderate Address box 26, Buena Vista Ohio. 7 10t

A GOOD GIRL wanted to do house work. Two in family. 77 West Eighth. 5

A BLACKSMITH wanted at 301 West Second St. 5

GIRL wanted, to do general house work. Good wages, no washing or ironing. Mrs. Arbogast, 91 West Second.

GIRL about sixteen years of age to help tend to children Apply 19 East Fourth. 5tf

FOR SALE.

BABY BUGGY for sale, almost new Call at 181 East Fourth St. 5 3t*

BICYCLE for sale Good as new. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Sample Shoe Co. 5 3t*

LOST.

GREEN CLOTH JACKET lost, on Second, Chillicothe or Ninth. Finder please return to 53 West Sixth and receive reward. 7

PAIR STEEL RIMMED SPECTACLES lost between North Waller and Chillicothe, on Fourth, with gold chain attached. Finder please return to E. J. Carson's grocery, or Win Nye's drug store and receive reward. 7

LADIES' GUM JACKET lost, Saturday, while driving, on Second, Front and Ninth streets Return to 53 West Sixth and receive reward 7

A WATCH lost, solid hunting case, picture in back, swell chain with square closed lock. Return to Margaret Donohoe, 419 East Eleventh street. $5 reward 7 1t

A LIGHT TAN SETTER DOG lost, answers to name "Mac" Return to 150 East 4th street and get reward. 7

FOX TERRIER DOG LOST; white body, black ears and dark head, face half white and half dark, answers to the name of "Prince." Finder please return to 1509 Offnere street, Cemetery Hill and receive reward.

BRASS PLUM BOB lost, in alley between Tenth and Eleventh Sts Please return to 377 Tenth St., and receive reward 5

A LARGE NECK HITCHING STRAP lost. Finder please return to 210 Market street and receive reward. 5

POLL PARROT lost Finder please return to 110 West Seventh and receive reward.

FOR RENT.

FRONT ROOM, for rent, down stairs, nicely furnished, suitable for light housekeeping, for man and wife, with kitchen large enough for dining room. Apply at 231 Gallia street 7

NEW THREE ROOM HOUSE for rent. East Fifth Street. Inquire of A. W. Thompson, 127 West Front. 4

NEW THREE ROOM HOUSE for rent. East Fifth St A. W. Thompson. 5

FOUND.

A DOOR KEY found, Mrs. J. Q. Adams. 586 Robinson Ave. 7

CLOTHES found, on East Ninth street, lost by a boy from a wash basket. Inquire of Mrs McMann, 261 East Ninth. 7

AN ACCIDENT

Which Resulted in the Death of W. H. Wheeler.

Was Working at Parkersburg and It Is Presumed That He Fell from a Ladder—The Funeral.

H. C. Wheeler received a telegram Sunday from Parkersburg, stating that his son, W. H. Wheeler, contracting painter and partner of O. D. Foster, had met with an accident.

His brother, Harry, left Sunday evening, and this morning telegraphed that he was dead. No particulars are at hand as to how the young man came to his death. It is presumed that he fell from a ladder.

Deceased was thirty-four years of age and leaves a wife and one child. His wife, a daughter of the late Alf. Boyer, is on a visit to her parents in Harrisonville township. No denfiite arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral. It is expected that the remains will arrive here this evening and that the funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon.

SHORT LOCAL NEWS.

The home of Daniel H. Poffenberger was set fire this morning accidentally by his folks, while engaged in searching in a closet with a lighted candle. Slight damage to property. Fire dpeartment rendered excellent service. Mr. Poffenberger had his hands severely burned.

Blanch Mittaugh, an employe of the Heer shoe factory, fell headlong down the first flight of stairs at the factory this morning, injuring herself severely.

Ben Harris, who has been at Cambridge for some years, is in the city. His mission here is to purchase the Lutz art gallery.

Charles R. Maddock, of Columbus, was in the city Sunday, having come down to see his son, Enoch, who was overcome by the heat while at a picnic at Turkey Creek last Friday.

The C. & O. Sunday excursion to Cincinnati carried over one hundred passengers. Dr. Tremper and a number of others spent the day at Fort Thomas, the guests of Dr. Bonzo and the soldier boys, who leave soon for Manila.

COURT HOUSE.

The new county clerk, Captain A. J. Finney, took charge today. This is the Captain's third pull at the public teat. H. B. Adams, a school teacher, has been appointed deputy clerk. Miss Rosa Keiffer has been made assistant clerk. The retiring clerk, F. L. Sikes, took leave with the well wishes of all hands following him. He performed the duties of the office with credit to himself and the people. A more conscientious, painstaking official never graced the position. He made no distinctions; he treated all alike.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Charles Lewis, 28 years old, a laborer, of McGraw Post-office, and Laura Howe, 26 years old, a resident of Nile township.

POLICE NEWS.

Will Gallion, who has been in jail for several weeks, charged with burglary, was released this morning, on giving bond for his appearance at the next term of common pleas court.

J. W. Dodge reports a set of harness stolen.

Squire Puntenney fined Boss Allen $10 for being intoxicated and raising a disturbance in the Pond Run Post office.

Pete Reinhart was locked up Saturday for being intoxicated.

Sam Johnson, colored, for cutting a melon in two in front of "Cage" Coburn's store, was assessed $4.80.

Henry Robinson has filed charges against Hack Sturgeon for hitting him in the eye. Sturgeon will be tried to morrow.

Aurila Duckett was find $1 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Henry Sauers is in hoc. He was drunk and disorderly.

Largest entry for fast horses ever known for the Chillicothe Fair.

Remember the Chillicothe Fair begins tomorrow and runs four days.

BIG FAIR.

That at Chillicothe Will Discount Them All—All About It.

The thirteenth annual fair of the Scioto Valley Agricultural society will begin at Chillicothe tomorrow and continue over Friday. There are $10,000 in premiums and prizes. Excursions on all railroads. Wednesday and Thursday nights there will be electric light exhibitions. There will be $1,000 worth of prizes given away. Every purchaser of a 25 cent ticket has a chance to draw one of the prizes. There is the largest and best race entry list in the history of the fair.

New Incorporations.

Columbus, O., Aug. 7.—The L. N. Ingham company, Lancaster, capital stock $5,500; the Pioneer Smokers' casino, Camp Washington, Hamilton county; the United States Carbon company, Cleveland, increase of capital stock from $100,000 to $300,000; the Tabernacle Baptist Church and Society, Cleveland, amendment changing name to the Wilson Avenue Baptist Church and Society; the Findlay Commercial association, Findlay; the Toledo, Fostoria and Findlay Railway company, Toledo, capital stock $100,000.

Claims of Mayor Jones.

Toledo, Aug. 7.—Mayor Jones stated that there is no doubt enough names signed to his petitions to comply with the law in order to place his name on the ticket. He does not hold this sufficient to make the final announcement that he will go into the field as a candate. His political headquarters have been busy since opening, and more than 300 petitions are being sent out daily to persons who desire to make a canvass.

Death of Rev. Pepper.

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—Rev. George W. Pepper, D. D., died at his home in this city. Dr. Pepper has been in ill health for several months. Dr. Pepper was ordained a Methodist minister in 1850, and has been prominent in that church in Ohio. In 1890 he was appointed United States consul at Milan, Italy. He is survived by four children, one of whom, Charles M. Pepper, is a well-known newspaper correspondent.

Declines the Presidency.

Tiffin, O., Aug. 7.—Rev. J. H. Bomberger of Columbiana has written a letter to the trustees of the Heidelburg university, declining to accept the presidency, which was tendered him at the June meeting. The regents will call a meeting.

Contest of Lake Yachts.

Put-in-Bay, O., Aug. 7.—The inter-lake yacht meeting will hold its annual session here.

During the civil war, as well as in our late wwar with Spain, diarrheoa was one of the most troulbesome diseases the army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor, of Wind Ridge, Greene county, Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cohlera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief. It is for sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Bids for the Construction of Hotel.

Separate bids will be received up to and including August 15th, at 12 o'clock, noon, for brick work, stone work, carpenter work, plastering, steam fitting, plumbing, iron work, tin work, painting and electrical work: also bids will be received to the same date for the construction of the hotel as a whole.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of H. A. Linthwaite, No. 62 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio, and at the office of W. A. McFarlin, Secretary, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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AWFUL ACCIDENT

Befalls a Party of Excursionists Near Bar Harbor.

COLLAPSE OF A GANG PLANK

Scores of People Are Dumped Into the Swirling Water.

GRAPPLED IN DEATH AND DROWNED.

After Leaving the Train to Take the Steamer at Mount Desert Ferry the Gangplank Gives Way Under the Weight of Several Hundred People and In the Twinkling of an Eye the Scene Is Changed From One of Merriment to Anguish.

Bar Harbor, Me., Aug. 7.—By the breaking of the gangplank at Mount Desert ferry, 17 persons were drowned and three died from the terrible experience of immersion in the water and injuries while struggling for life.

Some of those identified are those of Mrs. William Murray of Brewer, Irving Bridges of West Hancock, Albert Colson of Levant, Mrs. Alonzo Oakes of Bangor, Joseph Murphy of Old Town, Mrs. Hollis Estey of Ellsworth, Clifford Cushman of Corinth, Mell McCadd of Corinth, Miss Lizzie Wood of Bangor, Charles W. Downes of Ellsworth, E. E. Sweetzer, traveling salesman, Portland; Ora M. Lank of Danforth, G. R. Bennett of Brewer and a woman believed to be his wife.

Excursions went by Maine Central to Bar Harbor from all sections of its line in Maine, the attraction being the warships under Admiral Sampson, which were expected.

The train, which left Bangor at 8:25, consisted of 12 cars jammed with people. At Mount Desert ferry, the terminus of the line, the train is left for the boat, for an eight-mile sail to Bar Harbor. From the wharf a slip or gangplank 40 feet long and 10 feet wide, led up to the boat. The slip was hinged at the inner end, was raised or lower to suit the tide. Five timbers four by 12 inches, set vertically, ran the length of the plank, and these were crossed by two-inch planking. It is said that there was no support for the plank between the hinges at the outer end.

When the excursion train from Bangor arrived at the ferry there was a rush for the steamer Sapphet. The first few passengers had crossed the gangplank safely, and it is estimated that 200 people were massed on the plank. Suddenly they felt the plank give way beneath them. The long timber supporting the plank broke in the middle. The hinges held up one end and the chain the other, while the broken ends of the plank dropped, and a struggling, screaming mass of humanity was plunged into the water, 15 feet below the wharf. A few clung to the inclined sides of the plank, but at least 150 were struggling in the water.

The piling of the wharf partially penned them in on three sides and the boat lying at the wharf closed the outer end of the opening. After the first moment of stupefication the work of rescue began. Ropes and life preservers were thrown to the crowd, but in the panic the people in the water clutched one another, and many sank thus in groups in a death grapple. Many taken from the water were unconscious and were revived with difficulty. Doctors were summoned from all directions, but it was half an hour before the first arrival. The freight house at the ferry was turned into a morgue, the bodies being taken there for identification as fast as recovered. By noon 17 had been recovered. Three other persons were taken on board the Sappho and died on the way to Bar Harbor.

The exact number of dead will not be known for some time yet, as a strong tide sweeps under the pier, and some bodies may have been carried away by it. A diver, who was set to work without delay, was engaged in his search until 5 p. m., but only 17 bodies were found. The coroner impanelled a jury and the inquest will begin at once.

Altgeld's Denial.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—John P. Alegeld denies that he has said in an interview that 'The ratio might be abandoned or that the (Democratic) party might weaken on the ratio." Mr. Altgeld says that both at St. Louis and at Louisville he said that "to abandon the ratio would be to abandon the cause." These, he says, are still his sentiments.

Preparing For War.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 7.—A special received here from Terrazas, Chilhauhua, Mex., which is located near the scene of the Yaqui uprising, is to the effect that the Indians are arranging for a prolonged war. The special also reports that a number of miners and ranchmen in and near Cocori had been slain and their property laid waste.

But Two Cars Running.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 7.—As the result of a strike of the conductors and motormen, the local street railway had but two cars in operation at 6 p. m., and but two on the line to Chippewa Falls.

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Boys' Suits	"	" 3.00	"	2.24
"	"	" 3.50	"	2.79
"	"	" 4.00	"	2.98
"	"	" 4.50	"	3.24
"	"	" 5.00	"	3.98
Knee Pants Suits		" 1.75	"	1.24
"	"	" 2.00	"	1.48
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EARLYTOWN

And Yorktown Help Swell the Tide of News.

A Club Figures in a Knockout of a Love Affair— Riley Wolfe Cut —Workman Burned

Earlytown experienced more trouble Saturday evening. One of the handsome young women of the village had won the admiration of Will Covan. It happened that George King was also enamored. Covan, though, stood highest in the estimation of the girl, and this was very unsatisfactory to King. Saturday evening Covan and the girl were out walking. King learned of it and was so exasperated that he armed himself with a club and followed them. He ran across them occupying a rustic seat in one of the quiet, shady retreats of the village. He crept up behind them and used the club on the head of Covan. Covan was sent to the ground. The young girl's loud cries frightened King and he ran. Covan revived and was taken home by the young lady.

A warrant was issued by 'Squire Stewart for the arrest of George King for committing an assault on William Covan The papers were placed in the hands of Constable Wolfe.

Riley Wolf attempted to collect a board bill from King this morning. King cut him with a knife and made his escape.

John Clark, an employe of the Burgess Steel works, was severely burned Sunday evening about the side and face by falling on a sheet of hot iron. His injuries were not serious.

WITH THE EDITORS

Editor Carl Huber Leaves to Join the Ohio Editorial Excursion.

Carl Huber, Esq., editor and proprietor of the Correspondent and Press, will leave Monday evening on his annual jaunt with the Ohio Editorial excursion. The association has selected Mackinac Island and will spend a week or more up in and around that region. Later they will drop down to Toledo and visit the site of the proposed Ohio Centennial exposition, and returning home will proceed to their respective homes and proceed to boom the railroads and resorts.

Change of Red Cross Flag.

There is a movement afoot to change the Red Cross flag. The Red Cross society is known far and wide for its magnificent work. It seems a pity to change the signum which stands for as much good to humanity in another way as the name, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It strikes at the root of almost all illness — the stomach — making it strong and hearty. A healthy stomach invariably means health. If you have constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, nervousness, insomnia, or liver and kidney troubles, try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It has cured these ills for half a century. See that a private revenue stamp covers the neck of the bottle.

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Dr. G. Wash Williams says that Professors Hawkins and Jimo who board with him at Mrs. Elizabeth Patton's, intending to help themselves to some choice cantaloupes, he (Dr. Williams) had placed in the cellar for his breakfast, got into another batch belonging to the household. They ate eight and today are under the care of physcians. Attest: Simon Katovsky.

$100 Reward, $100.

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Commends the Mayor.

Ed. Times:—In the Daily Times of August 5th, you state that Mayor Glidden is one official who has the courage and honesty to do what he thinks right, and that he should be admired and sustained therein. In this you do not do him over-justice. Just judges are rarely found and are called jewels, you know. "He is the right man in the right place." He is admired and will be sustained It was his admiring Republican and sustaining Democratic friends who placed him in his present high and responsible position. If he were running for the office of mayor tomorrow he would receive an hundred more votes in the Seventh ward than he did last spring, not because he is a Democrat, not because of any general prejudice against the suspended police officer referred to, but because of the clear illustration of the spirit of justice found in the rendition of the judgment whereto the policeman was a party. Truly good people may, and do feel safe with such a man at the head of affairs, where no boss bosseth and no gang gangeth. A CITIZEN.

Special Columbus Excursion.

The N. & W. railway will run a special excursion to Columbus and return on Sunday, August 13th, leaving here at 6:30 a. m. and returning leave Columbus at 7 p. m. Fare $1.25.

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A Fire Brick Plant.

Alf. Zuhars, of Springville, expects in the near future to establish a fire brick plant at that place.

Damage at Arion.

Mrs. Jas. W. Newman and a large party of campers have returned from McColloch. They report that the storm of Friday night did much damage. Numerous boats were carried away. Brush and McColloch creeks are both very high.

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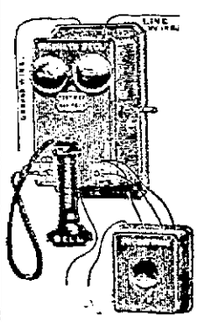

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8:00 a. m.	11:59 a. m.
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7:15 p. m	2:10 p. m-
11:43 p. m	3.00 p. m

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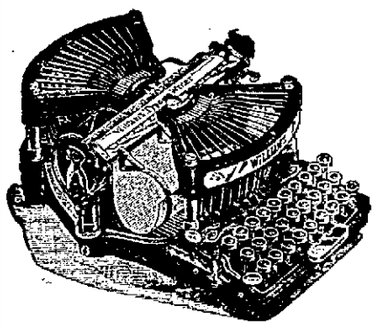

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The majority of the fans were absent from the Scioto bottom grounds Sunday afternoon. The cheap excursions to Cincinnati enabling patrons to see the Cincinnati Reds and St Louis nine play, captured a large number, including Stemshorn and Swander, two of the Navies' best players and heaviest batters. Others were absent owing to the overhanging clouds that threatened rain.

Despite these two drawbacks, there was a fair crowd present and they were filled to overflowing with enthusiasm. Those who did attend were treated to the fastest article of ball ever played on the Scioto Bottoms, and this counts the games of the old Riversides.

The Navies' opponents were the crack Norwood Browns, of Cincinnati, a club that is in the hunt when pitted against the celebrated Shamrocks of the Queen City, who are fit to do royal battle with any of the big leaguers.

The Norwood aggregation brought with them Dreihs, one of the Shamrocks best twirlers. He not only pitched a magnificent game, but fielded his position in great style and was there a-plenty with his hickory. He has speed to let, all the curves and mixes them neatly. He kept the hits scattered and at no time lowered his colors a hair to the hot batters of the Bonnafiddle brigade. He hit for three safe ones—one a clean single, another a two bagger and the third a three base hit. He tried to stretch it to a home run, but was caught at the plate by the fastest fielding ever executed by minor-professionals in Portsmouth. The sphere came down in the corn back of left field. Little Brunner was after it with the speed of Orin B. He stumbled and fell, but he turned a couple of somersaults, gaining his feet and never losing a second. He got the ball out of the corn, threw to Brooker, who accomplished one of his phenomenal drives to home. "Doc" Smith completed the play by catching the "cannon hot" and touching Driehs out. Driehs also had seven assists, one put out and not an error.

Cropper pitched for the Navies. He struck eleven of the visitors out, held them down to eight hits, made one put out and three assists and no errors. He also figured in two fast double plays. There is stuff in him for the making of a real good one. The score:

NAVIES	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Andres, 2b	4	1	0	4	3	0
Brooker, 3b	4	0	1	2	3	2
Cropper, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
Brunner, lf	4	0	2	0	1	0
Banker, 1b	4	0	2	6	1	0
Smith, D., c	4	0	0	13	1	0
Doherty, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Thornton, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Blackstone, ss	3	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	33	1	8	27	14	2

NORWOOD	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Ralston, 1b & lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Hallan, R., c	4	0	2	4	4	0
Gogreve, ss	4	0	0	0	2	1
Hallan, R., cf&rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cooper, 2b	4	1	0	2	1	0
Ferguson, lf&cf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Fussner 3b	3	1	1	3	3	0
Driehs, p	4	0	3	1	7	0
Beresford, 1b	4	0	1	13	0	0
*Reiniger, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	8	27	17	1

*Beresford took his place in second inning.

Earned runs, Navies 0, Norwood 1; sacrifice hits, Andres; two base hits, Banker, Driehs; three base hits, Driehs; home runs 0; bases stolen, Bannon 2, Ferguson; double plays, Cropper, Andres and Barber, Cropper and Andres; triple plays, 0; bases on called balls, off Cropper 4, off Driehs 0; bases on hit by pitched balls 0; struck out, Cropper 11, by Driehs 5; wild pitches 0; passed balls 0; left on bases, Navies 5, Norwood 5. Time of game, 1 hour, 45 minutes. Umpire, Ely, of Mansfield.

A Bunch of All Sorts

A. H. Cole is manager of the Norwood Browns. He hails from Indianapolis and is a thorough gentleman.

By the Waverly boys getting their nap up as great sluggers, they are likely to have to play ball a little oft oftener this season than they anticipated. The Chillicothe, Frankfort, Yellow Bud and Portsmouth teams are after them for a series of games.

Beresford, Norwood's first baseman, is built like Sharkey, the fighter. He was formerly a member of Cornell University's foot-ball team.

The Wellston nine will probably cross bats here next Sunday with the Navies.

The Norwood Browns, Sunday night, were the guests of the Navies at Athletic park.

Manager Thornton will likely date the Norwood Browns for Labor day. He is thinking of securing the Athletic park grounds for that date.

"Lefty" Houtz has been farmed to St. Paul.

John H. Schroeder was badly burned in a Cincinnati brass foundry. Hot metal splashed out of a mold and struck him in the face. He is a brother of "Cap" Schroder, who played in the Shinner ball team there.

James Hannahs, Jr., is in attendance at the Ross county fair with his score cards. Roy McElhaney goes up tomorrow.

Sam Debois, of Chillicothe, champion bicycle rider of the West, fresh from his laurels won at Chester Park and West Union, was in the city Sunday, the guest of his friend, Tim Murphy, of the Safford.

The Victors and Browns played at Coney Island, Sunday afternoon. Attendance 350. Score 10 to 5 in favor of the Victors. Batteries, Dolye and Foehr for Victors, "Happy" Joseph and "Hungry" for Browns.

OVER A TRESTLE

Plunged a Trolley Car Loaded With Merrymakers.

FORTY FEET TO THE GROUND

Nearly Every Person on the Ilfated Car Was Killed.

TWO ONLY ESCAPED UNHARMED.

While a Car Filled With Passengers Was Crossing the Trestle at Oronoque at Rapid Speed, It Suddenly Jumps off the Track and Topples to the Flats Forty Feet Below—How the Bodies of Dead Were Recovered.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 7.—The quiet of the Sabbath was broken by a horrible trolly car accident.

About 40 victims met death by an accident on Stratford extension of the Shelton Street Railway company at 4 p. m., when a loaded trolley car went off the trestle over Peck's mill pond at Oronoque, about six miles north of Bridgeport, and sank in the flats 40 feet below. Thus far 36 people are known to be dead and several more injured.

Two persons only are known to have escaped unharmed. It is belived that there were 43 passengers on the car, but the indicator was removed by a conductor of another car and spirited away, so that at present it is impossible to state accurately the number aboard. The scene of the accident is midway between Shelton and Bridgeport. The car was northbound, running toward Shelton. It was in charge of Conducter John Carroll of Bridgeport, who was among the killed, and Motorman Hamilton of Bridgeport, who escaped by jumping.

The trestle is 440 feet long, made of iron, with stone foundations, and was not protected by guard rails. South of the trestle an incline down which the car ran at a high rate of speed. It ran onto the trestle for about 10 feet, the trucks left the rails and then the car continued on the ties for about 75 feet, when it went off the trestle, and dropped into the pond below, overturning completely and up-ending. When the car struck the four-to motor and the heavy trucks crushed into it, instantly killing many of the passengers. Three physicians, who were passengers on a car a short distance behind, arrived quickly on the scene and rendered all possible assistance to the injured. Word was sent to Bridgeport, and three ambulances and a police wagon were hurried to the scene and the injured were taken to Bridgeport general hospital. A morgue was improvised in the main room of the town hall at Stratford, and in a very short time 23 bodies were laid out awaiting identification.

A Sudden Death.

Block Island, R. I., Aug. 7.—L. Gould of Chicago dropped dead on the Spring House piazza of heart trouble.

Mt. Joy Fair.

Fifty cents round trip to Barden from this city August 30 and 31 and September 1. Half fare from Winchester. Hacks meet all trains. Delightful ride from Station to grounds and return for 50 cents. Total cost from this city, $1.00. Good races and a good time.

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AN ORDINANCE

Preliminary to, and Authorizing the Annexation of Territory Contiguous to the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, as Herein Described.

Preamble:— Whereas, "The inhabitants generally" of the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, "desire to enlarge the corporate limits" of said city, by the annexation of territory contiguous" thereto, and herein after described, therefore;

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, viz;

SECTION 1. That the annexation of the following described territory situate in Clay Township, Scioto County, Ohio, contigious to the said City of Portsmouth, in said County, and embraced between certain of the present corporation limits to the said city, and the metes and bounds herein described, be, and the same is, hereby authorized to be made;

Beginning at a point in the North line of the corporation, and being the point at the intersection of the said North corporation line with the West line of the Norfolk and Western Railway's right of way;

Thence in a Northerly direction, along the said West line of said railway's right of way, to a point in the same and designated as the point "C", as shown by the plat accompanying the deed to the Scioto Valley Railway Company from Samuel Huston Sr., of date November 18, 1881, and recorded in Vol No. 38, pages 192 and 193, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds;

Thence North, 4 degrees East, along the said West line of the said Norfolk and Western Railway's right of way, and along the Centre line of a street, 33 feet wide, between the said right of way, on the East, and lots numbered 9, 10, 11 and 12, on the West side thereof, in Clingman's Sub division of 65 acres, in fractional sections No's 7 and 8, Range 21, Township 1, in said County, and as recorded in Vol 1, page 251, of the Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, to a point at the intersection of said East line of said street with the North line of Lot No. 5 (as at present in said Clingman's Sub division, if the same were to be projected West through the said right of way, and being the original Northwest corner to said lot No 5;

Thence East along the said North line of said Lot No 5 and the North line of Lot No. 1 in said Sub division, to a point, the North-east corner to aid Lot No. 1, as afore said and on the West line of The Portsmouth and Columbus Turnpike;

Thence in a Southerly direction along the said West line of the Turnpike aforesaid; and the East line of said Lot No 1, and the East line of Lot No 2, and the East line of Lot No 3, in said Clingman's Sub division, to a point in the said East line of said Lot No 3, and in the said West line of the Turnpike as aforesaid, and where the centre line of Kinney's Lane, if projected West, would intersect said East line of Lot No. 3, and said West line of said Turnpike;

Thence, in an Easterly direction, along the said centre line of Kinney's Lane, to a point at the intersection of said centre line of Kinney's Lane with the West line, if projected North, of Lot No. 3, of 4 acres in Sills Sub division said point being in the Sectional line between Sections No's 8 and 9, Range 21, Township 1, in said County;

Thence South, on said Sectional line, and between Sections No's 8 and 9 as aforesaid, to a point in the North corporation line of said City, and being the South west corner to a 2.25 acres tract of land (Maria E Timmonds), and also being the corner to Sections No's 8, 9 and 15 and 16 in Range 21, Township 1, in said County;

Thence East, along the Sectional line between said Sections No's 9 and 16 to a point, the North east corner to Lot No 7 in the William Lawson survey, and on said Sectional line;

Thence South, 36 degrees East 65½ poles, to a stake and stone on the West side of Lawson's Run;

Thence, in a South-westerly direction, with the meanders of said Run, as near as may be, to a point in the North line of the Portsmouth and Haverhill Turnpike, and as near as may be the centre of the crossing of said North line of said turnpike and Lawson's Run;

Then e. in a Westerly direction, along the North line of the said Turnpike, to a point, the South-east corner to Lot No. 2 in the Board of Trade Addition to the City of Portsmouth, and on the present corporation line of said City.

Also beginning at a point, the North east corner to Lot No. 1 in the Lawson Addition to said City, thence in an Easterly direction, along the South line of the said Portsmouth and Haverhill Turnpike, to a point, the Northwest corner to the 54 acres tract of land, (John G. Peebles) Section No 15, Range 21, Township 1, in said County;

Thence, in a Southerly direction, along the West line of the said Peebles tract, and the West line of a tract of land of 18.32 acres, (Henry Burke and others) and being the West line of lots numbered 12 and 13, in the William Lawson Survey, heretofore referred to, to a point, the South-west corner to said Lot No 13, and the North-west corner to Lot No 16 in said Lawson's Survey;

Thence, in a Southwesterly direction to a point in the East line of Lot No. 6 in said Survey, and at the intersection of the same with the East branch of said Lawson's Run;

Thence, with the meanders of the said branch, as near as may be, to the mouth thereof and to a point in the East corporation line of said City.

SECTION 2 That Joseph P Coates Esq of said city be, and he is hereby directed to prosecute the proceedings necessary to effect such annexation" to the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, is herein provided.

SECTION 3 That this ordinance shall take effect, and be in force from and after its passage, and the due and legal publication thereof

Passed, July 24th, 1899

ED K. WALSH,
City Clerk.

JOHN JONES,
President of the City Council of the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
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Cincinnati, O.

Estimated Assessment

Of the cost of improving Gallia street, from North Waller to Young street, on the lots and lands benefitted by such improvement as set forth in an ordinance passed April 19th, 1899, providing therefor, is now on file in the office of the city clerk of this city, for inspection and examination of persons interested therein. By order of council.

E. K. WALSH, City Clerk.
July 18th, 1899. 18 19t

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Insurance Company.
State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, Feb. 7, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, in pursuance of law, do hereby certify that the

London and Lancashire Fire Ins. Co.,
located at Liverpool, in England,

a Foreign Fire Insurance Company is possessed of at least the amount of actual capital required of similar companies formed under the provisions of the laws of this State, and has deposited with the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, in trust for the benefit and security of its policy holders residing in the said State of Ohio, a sum not less than one hundred thousand dollars, in stocks and securities required by law, and has filed in this office a certified copy of its Charter or Deed of Settlement, and a detailed statement of its Assets and Liabilities, and otherwise complied with all the requirements of the said laws which are applicable to Foreign Fire Insurance Companies, Partnerships and Associations; and that the said Company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of FIRE INSURANCE in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of the United States Branch of said Company on the 31st day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement under oath, required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available Assets in the United States	$2,815,688.06
Aggregate amount of Liabilities in the United States, including re-insurance	1,737,318.56
Net Assets	1,078,369.50
Amount of Income for the preceding year in cash in the United States	1,902,613.17
Amount of Expenditures for the preceding year in cash in the United States	1,823,949.67

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

Franklin Fire Insurance Co.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, Feb. 1, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the

Franklin Fire Insurance Company,

located at Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, relating to Insurance Companies, other than Life, incorporated by other States of the United States, and is authorized to transact its appropriate business of FIRE INSURANCE in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said company, on the thirty-first day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows,

Aggregate amount of available assets	$3,177,729.73
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance	1,614,308.32
Net Assets	1,563,421.41
Amount of actual paid-up capital	400,000.00
Surplus	1,163,421.41
Amount of Income for the year in cash	683,799.76
Amount of Expenditures for the year in cash	623,319.61

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, April 1, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company,

located at Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, relating to such Insurance Companies, and is authorized to transact its appropriate business of LIFE INSURANCE, in this State, in accordance with law, until the first day of April of the year next succeeding the date hereof. The condition and business of said company on the thirty-first day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets	$12,484,954.30
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance, and special accumulations	11,163,709.53
General Surplus on policy holders' account	1,316,244.77
Amount of Income for the year	7,011,778.51
Amount of Expenditures for the year	5,212,856.65

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

J. C. CAMPBELL, State Agent, Board of Trade Building, Columbus, O.

Maryland Casualty Ins. Co.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, Feb. 1, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the

Maryland Casualty Insurance Co.,

located at Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, in compliance with the provisions of Section 3641b, Revised Statutes, as amended May 19, 1894, deposited with the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, in trust for the benefit and security of its policy holders residing in the said State of Ohio, a sum not less than fifty thousand dollars, in stocks and securities required and allowed by said section, and has otherwise complied with all the requirements of the said laws of this State, applicable to Insurance Companies incorporated by other States of the United States; and that the said Company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of GENERAL CASUALTY AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said company on the 31st day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement under oath, required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets	$ 886,500.36
Aggregate amount of liabilities in the United States, including re-insurance	145,262.00
Net Assets	741,238.36
Amount of actual paid-up capital	500,000.00
Surplus	241,238.36
Amount of Income for the year in cash	184,699.04
Amount of Expenditures for the year in cash	110,601.44

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

Millers and Manufacturers Ins. Co.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, April 10, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the

Millers and Manufacturers Insurance Co.,

located at Minneapolis, in the State of Minnesota, has filed in this office a sworn statement by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition and business, and has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, relating to Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, and that said Company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of FIRE INSURANCE in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said company on the thirty-first day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows:

Total Cash Assets	$283,912.94
Net Contingent Liability	234,103.94
Aggregate Available Assets	$528,016.88
Aggregate Liabilities, including re-insurance	121,919.80
Income for preceding year in cash, including assessments paid on Premium Notes and Contingent Liability	234,375.22
Income for preceding year in Notes and Contingent Liability subject to assessment	57,184.75
Expenditures for preceding year in cash	182,702.78

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

National Fire Insurance Co.

State of Ohio, Insurance Department.
Columbus, Feb. 1, 1899.

I, W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the

National Fire Insurance Company,

located at Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, relating to Insurance Companies other than Life, incorporated by other States of the United States, and is authorized to transact its appropriate business of FIRE INSURANCE in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said company on the thirty-first day of December, of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by Section 284, Revised Statutes of Ohio, to be as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets	$4,642,499.73
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance	2,112,791.98
Net Assets	2,529,707.75
Amount of actual paid-up capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus	1,529,707.75
Amount of Income for the year in cash	2,288,260.41
Amount of Expenditures for the year in cash	2,280,882.75

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[*Seal*] W. S. MATTHEWS, Supt. of Ins.

SOCIAL NEWS.

Tomorrow evening the eight young ladies who constitute the members hp of the F. N. C. club will entertain their young gentlemen friends with a picnic supper at Grandview park. The guests of honor will be Miss Hattie Pease, of Ironton, who is visiting one of the club members, Miss Margaret Lloyd, of East Third street, and Miss Pearl Heinike, of Weston, W. Va., guest of Miss Georgia Mead and Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock, of West Sixth street.

Mr and Mrs. George Berthold, of Court street, have as guests Miss Elza Zapp and niece, Miss Alma Zapp, and Miss Flora Siegle, of Columbus. Today Miss Elza Zapp, Miss Emma Klingman, of Cincinnati, and Mr. Fred Niele, of Cleveland, went for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klingman, who are rusticating on Pine creek.

Mrs. Harry Binswanger and daughter, Miss Edith, and nephew, Albert Gettleson, of Cincinnati; Mrs. L. Sulzbacher and daughter, Etta, of Chillicothe, are the guests of Mrs. Pauline Kaufman and father, Mr. Joseph Guiterman. Mrs. Sulzbacher is Mr. Guiterman's sister.

The D. K. I. club will be entertained this evening at the home of Mr. Harvey Wills, of East Eleventh street, complimentary to Messrs. Charles and Enoch Maddock and Charles Morton, of Columbus. Tomorrow night the club will meet with Miss Lavinia Lawson, of West Seventh street, by way of entertaining Messrs. Maddock and Morton.

The following Portsmouth residents have returned from a delightful two weeks' outing at Camp Arion: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruel and family, Mr and Mrs. Frank A. Kleffner and family, and Mrs. Jacob Brunner and family.

Mrs. Howard Harsha and children, of Gallia avenue, have returned from a visit to Eggleston Springs and Mountain Lake, Va. Mrs. D. Hutchins and family, who acompanied Mrs. Harsha and children, will remain at Mountain Lake Park until about the 19th of August. Mr. Hutchins recently spent several days with his family at this delightful resort.

Mrs. Jessie Belles, of East Third street, and her guest, Miss Elizabeth Hunter, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., left today or a visit to Miss Lucy Moxley, of Ironton. From there Miss Hunter will return home next Wednesday. Mrs. Belles will also return home Wednesday and on Thursday morning will be the hostes of the regular meeting of the Hamilton Whist club.

The Misses Lillian and Mayme Boyer entertained Saturday evening in honor of Miss Annie Wood, of Quincy, Kentucky, guest of Miss Mayme Book, and Miss Sellards, of Pomeroy, who is visiting Miss Mary Ury. The evening's pleasures were games and music. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Laura Book, Kate Ury, Myrtle Stone, Bertha Book, Mary Ury, Gertrude Davis, Mayme Book, Rhea Black, Riey Book; Messrs. Albert Riser, George Meixner, Adolph Kennedy, John Black, Earnest Brown, Frank Scott, John Turner, Charles Book, Walter Steahly, Dan Kennedy, James Grandison, Will Geargen and Americus Brown.

Next Wednesday evening a select dance will be given under the auspices of the Young Men's Institute. All who were invited to the last Y. M. I. dances are cordially invited to the one now in prospect. A number of visitors from out of the city are expected. Music by the Euclid Mandolin lub.

Mrs. Maria Maddock, of Jackson street, will entertain at dinner next Thursday the following relatives: Messrs. Enoch and Charles Maddock, Charles Morton, of Columbus, and David Stone, of this city.

Yesterday evening Miss Mary Shires and brother John, of Lawson Heights, entertained at dinner the following guests: Messrs. Joe Barry, Frank Kelley and the Misses Kelley's guests, Misses Belle O'Keefe, Alice and Sarah Furlong, of Ironton, Julia and Anna Gilgan of Cincinnati.

A merry party of young men, with camping outfit, left on the C. P. & V. this morning for aweek's outing at Camp Arion. Those included in the party were: David Hughes, Leslie Hughes, Frank Carlin, Joe Birmingham, Sidney Anderson. There are some noted fishermen in the crowd and they expect to have some fish stories to tell when they return.

A GERMAN CITIZEN

Of Prominence and Wealth Dies at Powellsville—The Funeral.

John Miller, one of the most prominent German farmers of the Pine Creek valley, died Friday evening at the residence of his son, Frank Miller, of Powellsville. Mr. Miller, more than a quarter of a century ago, purchased the Joseph Hudson farm, the dwelling to which stood on one of the main street corners of the village of Powellsville He was a very successful farmer and accumulated a liberal portion of this world's goods. His wife died several years ago. Several children survive. The funeral services took place at Powellsville Sunday afternoon.

Deepened the Channel.

The government dredge boats, Oswego and Ohio, that have been at work on the Bonanza bar for a week past, will complete their work Saturday and leave for Cincinnati. Captain Carpenter is in command of the boats and states that he has deepened the channel near the dyke by the removal of 1,400 feet of sand.

Disastrous Wreck Averted.

Lucien T. Walcott, a Huntington, W. Va, business man, known here, discovered an obstruction on the Ohio River railroad track near Huntington. He removed it two minutes before the fast express arrived and averted a disastrous wreck. Officials are investigating.

Her Condition Critical.

Mrs. M. A. Mossman, of Huntington, W. Va., mother of Dan Mossman, has not improved since severely injuring herself by falling downstairs. Her condition is quite critical.

"DUDE" BLAKE

Spending a Leave of Absence With Home Ones.

What He Has to Say About Important Ball Matters—The Positions He Has Played Lately.

Harry Blake, known to the base ball world as "Dude" Blake, is in the city, enjoying an earned and needed rest with loved ones at home. The leave of absence was given him at Cincinnati after the game Sunday.

His parents, his brothers, his sisters and his own family live here, and it is with them he will pass the time. The next few days will be put in close with his wife, who has promised him a present that will be worth more than its weight in gold.

He was seen by The Times, but he declined to talk at length. He told of the positions he had played recently and these sum up all, save the pitcher's box. Of the proposed new league he would say nothing. "Dusty" Miller, he says, will join the St. Louis club, and this will prevent his locating here. Jesse Burkett will retire at the close of this season and open a swell saloon at Worcester, Mass.

Right from Washington.

The post-office here has receievd the official information that postal clerks who work six days a week or more are to be given annual vacations of fifteen days, with pay. The order does not apply to chief clerks, assistant chief clerks or clerks assigned to office duty.

Marcus Alonzo's Return.

Elmer Dover, Senator Hanna's private secretary, was in Columbus, Saturday. He writes The Times that he expects the Senator to return about September 15th from his European trip.

McAleer to the Front.

Robert McAleer is building an elegant veranda to Dr. J. S. Rardin's house, on Gallia avenue.

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Signed WM. BOLANDER

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Boys' Bib Overalls, all sizes, 25c pr.

Two spools of good Machine Thread, all numbers, 200 yards on spool, 2 spools for 5c.

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Men's 50c Black and White Striped Shirts at 25c each.

Boys' good Suspenders 5c pr.

Curtain Poles in oak and cherry, complete, 10c each.

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25c White Piques for 19c.
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Linens.

1 lot of striped linens that were sold regularly at 20 & 25c for 12½c.

Ginghams.

All of our 40, 50 and 60c imported silk stripe and check ginghams for 25c.
1 lot of 15c Zephyr ginghams for 7½c.
1 lot of 18c Corded Chambras for 12½c.
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Lawns and Dimities.

1 lot of 15c lawns for 10c.
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Shirt Waists.

All $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Gingham, Madras, Percale and Pique colored waists for 50c.
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98c Linen Skirts for 75c.
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New Vacation hats, rough straw 89c.
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